SENATE-FIRST DAY.

Tuesday, January 2, 1877 are Sims President pro tem, in the Chair. PRISENT-MUSSIS. Barry, Furlong, Catch-McCaskill, Johnston, Reynolds, Shirstewart and Thornton-10. There bei 'g no quorum, the Senate ad-rned until 10 o'c ock to-morrow.

HOUSE-FIRST DAY.

TUESDAY, January 2, 1877. street in the Chair. Prayer by Mesers Brown, Causey, Clif-

m Fairly, Gibson, Harper, Jagun, Jayne, Johns, Miller, Me-McNair, McLaurin, of Jasper, Nelson, Overton, Pennington an Sanderlin, Sannders, Tison Watkins, Yellowley and deck, heing absent, Mr. C. A.

appointed Clerk, pro tem. Harrison and Jackson, preas elected to fill the vacancy death of Hon. J. M. McIunis, ion of Mr. Tison, there being no a present, the House adjourned.

SENATE-SECOND DAY.

Wednesday, January 31, 1877. te niet pursuant to adjournment; Stewart, Thompson--15. garay - Messra. Albright, Callicott, ers, Everett, Foote, Gray, Griffin, Mentenhall, Metts, Morgan, Oldat, Smith, Taylor, Terry, Thorn-Pauls, White-19,

Soute met 11:30 a. M : mators in addition to those heretofore Costs Callicots, Taylor and Terry, Allen presented the credentials of was taken up and the bills referred to ap-100 D. Bills, Senator-elect of the 22nd propriate committees. Adjourned. ict, vice Hou. J. M. Stone, Governor. Barry presented the credentials of M. Corrie, Senstor-elect from the District vice H B. McClure, expelled. Ir. Thomp-on presented the credentials Mr. h. C. McCabe, Senator-elect of the District vice Hon J. B. Graham resign-

The new Senators were sworn in.

-Messrs, McCaskill, Catch-Governor; adopted. Senate Commit-

WHEREAS, Wm. H. Gray, claiming to be S nator from the 29th District is publicbarged with having committed various e sugainst the laws of the State, and as. It is alleged that he is now letment for arson in the Circuit Washington county, and is ed to have fled the State to avoid ared by the public press, that while in ogton, Ky., since he has been a tugi-

sum of money belonging to some ray is untit to occupy a seat in this

Whereas It is also alleged that he has nently removed from this State, and ger a citizen thereof; and, is proper that this Senate

d be pully informed in the premises; leaded 1st, That a committee of three counted, whose duty it shall be to insaid charges and make report

a, with power to send for persons and cers of the State are hereby instructthiold from Gray, all warrants, etc.,

of pretended services in this littee: Messrs. Catchings, Thomp-Toompson gave notice of the intro-

n of a number of bills. Tast the Finance Committee of the and the Ways and Means Commit-

relief can be afforded by legislation to their passage recommended; the report reple of the State in respect to the ceived g the fiscal year of the State and | Tuckeres, so that taxes may hereaf-

said Committee be, and they are Cochran and Rowan-3. instructed, to report upon this subat the earliest practicable moment, by omenitee-Messrs, Reynolds, FitzGer- | granted to crimnals. by Mr. R ynolds: An amendment to the outstanding revenue for the year 1876;

o dudiciary Committee. r. Fewell: To adjourn sine die on ist : adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS. Mr. McCaskill: For the relief of S. D. sherig of Rankin county; passeda to reconsider pending

Mr. Reynolds: To incorporate the Guard: referred. Mr. Citchings: For the relief of lett B. Emmerson; passed-also, to towide for the re-assessment of lands in quena county; referred. GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE. Falconer, Private Secretary, present-

Governor's Message, which was read. Mr. Fewell: To print 1,000 copies; mattee to apportion the Governor's Message: Messas. Fewell, Carter, Allen,

Adjourned to 1012 A. M , to-morrow.

HOUSE-SECOND DAY.

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 3. County Superintendent of Education; related the State government except through the Executive, we enter our processing forms, Gayden, Gibson, Gillis, Lower, Griffin, Guyton, Hall, Harper Hicks, Logan, Horton, Jagers, Jaruigan, Jayne, Jan. By Mr. Cibson, Carter of the Various State funds from any department of the State government except through the Executive, we enter our processing forms, Guyton, Hall, Harper Hicks, Logan, Horton, Jagers, Jaruigan, Jayne, Jay ns, Tison, Trice, Tucker, Turly, War- resolution. h. Watkins, Witkinson, White, Vaughan, dowley, Mr. Speaker-71. Yellowley presented the credentials

Mr Adam Simpson, (col.) elected to Bit the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. David Jenkins (col.) of Madison. Hall presented the credentials of Mr. W. A. Ruines, elected to fill the vacanof from DeSoto, vice Mr. Powell resigned;

Messes. Johns, Leigh and Overton, were Senate that the House was organized and there being no quorum present. The House then adjourned to 111/4 a. m.

11:30 a. st. A Committee of the Senate Reported that I

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the Senate was organized and restly for business.

By Mr. Baker: For a joint committee to wast upon the Governor and inform him

The bas approved the following Senate bills, as it relates to Scott and Neshoba countles; and what is necessary to assure the success of the system, its connection with the country; to repeat section 3 and 4 of the referred. Remittances should be by postal order, adopted. House Committee-Messrs. Baker, Railroad.

> to refer lost, and the bill went to a special committee of five-Messrs. Harper, Hicks, Guyton Johnson of Winston and Rowan Leave of absence was granted Messrs.
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> Hudson, Ervin, Lester, Blount and Hebron.
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> Messrs. Furlong, McCabe, Terry and Fewell gave notice of the introduction of bills.
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> By Mr. Johnston; To change the time of bolding courts in Copiah, Yazoo and Hinds; Dadley; referred.
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> Mr. Taylor, chairman reported a number of Messrs.
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> By r. Jones of Hinds; To amend sec-Leave of absence was granted Mesers. passed. Hudson, Ervin. Lester, Blount and Hebron. Mr. 7

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE. Mr. Falconer, Governor's Private Secre- of Brandon; reserved. tary, appeared at the bar of the House and submitted the message which was read. (See message elsewhere in this issue.) Mr. Harper moved that 1000 copies of the Carrie A. West, of Madison courty; indefimessage be printed; Mr. Rogers to amend by 2,000 copies; Mr. Miller to make i: 5,000; lost; Mr. Guthrie to strike out 1,000 and insert 2,500; tabled: Mr. Jones of Hinds to print 500 copies; tabled; Mr. Leigh, to print 3000 copies; carried; and the resolu-tion as amended was adopted.

SENATE-THIRD DAY Thursday, Jan. 4th, 1877. Senate met pursuant to adjournment; President Simms in the Chair; roll called PRESENT-Messrs, Allen, Albright, Barry, Bills, Callicott, Carter, Catchings, Currie Fewell, FitzGerald, Foote, Furlong. Hooker, Johnston, McCabe, McCaskill, Reynolds, Shirley, Stewart, Tayloy, Terry, Thompson

ABSENT-Messrs. Chalmers Everett, Grav Griffin, McNeil, Mendenhall, Metts, Morgan, Oldham, Pratt, Smith, Thorston, Tuttle, White-14.

Leave of absence granted Mr. Metts. A message for Executive session was reeived from the Governor. By Mr. Thompson: To authorize the issuance of executions in certain cases not now provided for; also to prohibit the givlent Sinis in the Chair; roll called: ling of liens for growing crops or crops to be grown; also to repeal the law changing the boundary lines of Amite county, apnoter, Jouston, McCaskill, Reynolds, proved May 10, 1871, also to repeal the act o amend and constructaws in reference to pleadings, etc., in the chancery courts, approved January 20, 1875; all referred.

Mr. McCaskill, chairman, reported the bill to provide for the assessment of lands n Issaquera county do pass. By Mr. Thompson: A resolution providing for a committee on chancery and chancery courts; adopted. Committee-Messrs. Thompson, Fitzgerald, Barry, The unfinished business of last session

HOUSE-THIRD DAY.

Thursday, Jan. 4th, 1877.

House met pursuant to adjournment; Speaker Street in the chair; the following embers answered to the roll call: PRESENT-Messrs, Aldrich, Bailey, Baker, Holmes, Causey, Crosland, Clay, Clifton, Clay, Saunders, Simpson, Shrock, Stebbins, Tison, Trice, Tucker, Turley, Warren, Watkins. Wilkinson, Vaughan, Yellowley, Mr. Speak-

ABSENT-Messrs. Amacker, Barksdale, Bassett, Blount, Campbell, Barter of Warren. Cessor. Chiles, Crum. Dabney, Dyer, Ervin, Fortone, Garrett, Griffin, Hudson. Hussey, Jacobs, Johns of Itawamba, Mallory, Meade, McNeise. Nichols, Parsons, Percy, Reynolds, Riley, Shands, Shattuck, Shelby, Southworth, Spight, Sykes, Troup, White, Young-39. Leave of absence was granted Messra.

Dyer, McNeice, Shattuck and Riley. By Mr. Yellowly: To repeal the act to allow Supreme Judges to retire from the duties of the office; approved April 11,1876; By Mr. McNair: To make an appropria-

tion to defray the expenses of the Legisla-ture; referred to committee of the whole. By Mr. Featherston: Resolved. That the Committee of Ways

enne Law; approved April 15, 1876 Adopt-By Mr. T son: To Amend the act authorizing Union county to pay to Lee county. By Mr Hicks; To regulate the order of

issuance and payment of certain warrants; to Committee of the Whole. By Mr. Jarnigan; To authorize the Supervisors of Noxubee county to compromise a certain judgment against Wm. Conner, late Sheriff, and his sureties; passed.

COMMITTER OF THE WHOLE. Mr. Gibson in the Chair: of the House of Representatives be, and | the bill to regulate the issuance of certain are hereby instructed, to ascertain warrants, were considered at length, and

taxes, and the redemption of Mr. Gibson moved to take up the bill to oold or forfeited for the non-pay-exes. regulate the issuance and payment of cer-tain warrants; carried, and the bill passed -vens 64; navs-Messrs. Baker. Guyton, ing the present rate of taxation, McNair, McLaurin of Smith, Rowan and

The Legislative Appropriation Bill the and payable on the first day of was taken up and passed; it appropriates in each year, instead of the first day \$90,000 to defray the expenses of Legislaber as now provided for by law, ture-Yeas 65; nays-Messrs. Brown (col.)

The Governor sent in a message, contain-By Mr. Reynolds: S. C. R., in regard to ing a report of the expenditure of the Ex-Revenue Law of 1876; adopted. Sea- centive Contingent rand, and of pardons H. B. to provide for the collection of the

> By Mr. Muldrow: For the relief of tax-By Mr. Clifton: To provide for the paypayers; referred. ment of a judgment recovered by Eli Whitnev against the State; referred. liquor in the town of Buena Vista; passed. By Mr. Byrd of Franklin; To aid in sup-

Weinberg, of Hancock county, to adopt a necessary have not yet handed in their re-By Mr. Gibson: To amend Sec. 2150 Code '71, in reference to the application of the money belonging to the taxpayers, should tatute of limitation; referred. Mr Guthrie: A resolution providing for committee to prepare an amendment to through the official reports.

kins, Huddleston, Parker, Jayne and Neil-

the Constitution in relation to biennial clections; adopted; Committee—Messrs. Guthrie, Tucker, Bird of Lawrence, Bailey give preference to the warrants of the Luckins, (col.) late member from Madison

investigate the system of railroad taxation institutions, as well as to deprecate the

logan, Horton, Jagors, Jarnigan, Jayne, Shus, Johnson of Winston, Jones of Hinds. for a joint committee to consider amendler, McCormick, McNair, McLaurin of Jas-per, McLaurin of Smith, McWhorter, Neil-McDoverton, Description, Johns, McDoverton, und, Parsons, Parker, Pennington,
Und, Rogers Rowan, Saunderlin, Shrock,
Ublins, Tison, Trice, Tucker Turky War-

SENATE-FOURTH DAY.

Mr. Taylor, chairman, reported a number tion 78 of the Revenue laws, relative to of bills of last session.

By Mr. McCaskill: To amend the charter By Mr. Barry : To incorporate the West Point Bur and Law Library Association
By Mr. Pratt: To change the name of

postponed. By Mr. Chalmers: To secure homesteads of the counties of Jackson and Harrison; and encourage immigration; referred. By Mr. Reynolds; To amend the retail Cormick and Gibson.

ties of Laura T. Moore, a minor; referred. By Mr. Foote; In relation to the assessment and redemption of lands heretofore sold to the State; referred. By Mr. Burry : To amend the charter of

the San Rufael Silver Mining Company; Mr. Reynolds called up his motion to reconsider the vote adopting the concurrent

A number of bills of last session were inlefinitely postponed. Mr. Griffin was granted leave of absence. H B. (old series) to establish a rule for the collection of sight drafts. Committee's

amendment adopted and the bill passed.

H. 3. (O. S.) to regulate the compensation of jail physicians; passed. A number of House bills of last session, were indefinitely postponed. H. C.R. appointing a joint committee on Constitutional amendments was adopted; Senate Committee-Messrs, Reynolds, Bar-

II. B. to make an appropriation to defray the expenses of the Legislature; passed. Several House bills read and referred. H. B. to authorize Supervisors of Noxu- ed. bee county to compromise with W. M. Con-ner, ex-Sheriff, and his bondsmen; amend-By Mr. FitzGerald; to repeal certain portions of the levec law; referred. By Mr. Catchings: To provide for the stitute, with a memorial; referred. funding of Issaquena county warrants; re-

HOUSE-FOURTH DAY

House met pursuant to adjournment;
Speaker Street in the Chair; the following tion of home teachers; referred.
The bill to incorporate the West Point Tag Library Association passed. PRESENT-Messrs. Ald ich. Bailey, Baker. Bar and Law Library Association passed. -Messrs, Aldrich, Bailey, Baker, Bean, Beil, Biount, Boyd, Bridges, Brown, Byrd of Byrd of Franklin, Bird of Lawrence, bills of last session were indefinitely post-Bird of Lawrence, Carter of Carter of Holmes, Causey, Cochran, Dear, Denson, Drake, Edwards, Sain, Edwards, Fairly, Featherston, Floyd. San, Edwards, Fairly, Featherston, Floyd. Gayden, Gibson, Gillis, Gowan, Guyton, Hall, Harper, Hebron, fin, Guthrie, Guyton, Hall, Harper, Hebron, Alarge number of House bills were read Clifton, Cochran, Gillis, Gowan, Guyron, Hall, Harper, Hebron, Hicks, Hogan, Horton, Hall, Harper, Hebron, Hicks, Hogan, Horton, Huddleston, Jagers, Jarnigan, Jayne, Johnson, of Winston, Jones of Hinds, Jones of Issaquena, Leigh, Lester, Massengale, Miller, Milsaps, Lester, Liddell, Massingale, Miller, Milsaps, Massingale, Miller, Milsaps, Lester, Liddell, Massingale, Miller, Milsaps, Miller, Milsaps, Massingale, Miller, Milsaps, Miller, Mille Muldrow, McCormick, McNair, McLauria Mouroe, Muldrow, McCormick, McNair, Muldrow, McCoranick, McNair, McNair, McNair, McNair, McNaire, McLaurin of Jasper, McLaurin of Smith, McWhorter, McLaurin of Jasper, McLaurin of Smith, McWhorter, Neilson, Overton, Mr. Fewell called up H. B. to provide for do, There is no repuguancy to heavy Pound, Raines, Rogers, Rowan, Sanderlin, Parker, Pen, ington, Pound, Raines, Rogers, Rowan, Sanderlin, Shands, Shrock, Stebbins, Tison, Trice, Troup, Tucker, Turley Warren, Watkins, Wilkinson, Vanghan, Yellowley, and Mr. Speaker-72.

ABSENT-Messrs. Amacker. Barksdale, Basset, Campbell, Carter of Warren, Cessor, Chiles, Crum. Dabney, Drake, Dyer, Ervio, Fortune, Garrett, Hudson, Hussey, Jacobs, Johnston, Mallory, Meade, McCargo, Nicholis, Parsons, Percy, Reynolds, Riley, Saunders, Shattnek. Shelby, Southworth, Spight, Sykes, White, Young-31. Leave of absence was granted to Mr.

The Senate sine die resolution was postponed until Wednesday next.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS. of Birmington, Lee county; passed. By Mr. Guthrie: For relief of Celver. Page, Hogue & Co.; referred.

By Mr. Bird, of Lawrence: For relief of and Means be instructed to report by bill, A. C. Fairman, of Lawrence county; resuch amendments as are needed to the Rev-By Mr. Stebbins: To require the sheriffs to visit each voting preemet for the collection of taxes; referred. By Mr. Hicks: To incorporate Benton,

Yazon county; passed By Mr. Guyton: To reduce the expenses of the judiciary of the various counties and o provide against malicious prosecution; By Mr. Clay: To abolish the office of

By Mr Jarnigan: To amend section 1,167, of the code of 1871; referred. By Mr. Johns: To change the time of Leave of absence was granted to Messrs. holding sales in the chancery clerks office; Amaker, Barksdale and Jarnigan. By Mr. Byrd of Franklin : To amend the Rankin ; passed.

By Mr. Leigh: To regulate the compensation of county treasurers; referred.

By Mr. Harper: For the relief of the Mississippi Female Seminary; passed. By Mr. Leigh: To assend the act regulating the compensation of the members of the | concurred in, Legislature; also, to authorize the supervisors of Lowndes county to compromise cer-

By Mr. Muldrow: To regulate the comensation of sheriffs; referred. By Mr. Turley: To regulate contracts be- cery Court laws; referred. vorces; referred.

branch of the Legislature, hereby enter our ofest against the precipitate passage of H. B . No. 5, "an Act to regulate the issuance and payment of certain State warrants," for the following reasons, to-wit:

1st. While we are not now, and never have been, opposed o, but have ever volby Mr. Tucker: To prohibit the sale of anard and protect the interests of the com- By Mr. Featherston: To amend section plying lost records in Franklin county; re-ferred to special committee—Messrs. Watagainst the section for the reason that no specific sum to be appropriated is mentioned the opinion of the House that sheriffs should in said section, and the officers from whom be elected for four years, and should be in-By Mr. Saunders: To authorize G. W. we are to learn what deficiency may be eligible for the next succeeding term. Mr. ports, and we believe that all legislation. which looks to an appropriation of the be characterized with calmness and prudence, and with the necessity made manifest

By Mr. McNair: To provide for the pur- other institutions whether benevolent, chase of stationary for the Legislature; charttable, or other character, belonging to journed. Mr. Jayne moved to indefinitely postpone- the State; for the reason that we believe By Mr. Yellowley: A resolution requir-ing the Committee of Ways and Means to Preserved to roll call:

Lan, Bell, Boyd, Bridges, Brown, Byrd, of Tanklin, Byrd of Lawrence, Carter of adopted.

Investigate the system of railroad taxation with an accordance with and to ascertain if it is in accordance with and to ascertain it is in accordance with a

> Respectfully, A. J. Baker, D. G. Guyton, W. F. Tucker, L. McLaurin, A. U. McNair, E. A. Rowan.

By Mr. Jones of Hinds: A resolu-olution requiring an equal distribution of stationery on hand; adopted. By Mr. Featherstona A concurrent resoments to the court district law; tabled - characteristics of our school laws.

druggist's license; referred. By Mr. Gibson: To provide for the distribution of the common school fund re-By Mr. Fairly: That a committee be appointed to draitsuitable resolutions in mem-ory of Hon. J. M. McInnis, deceased, late

adopted. Committee-Messrs, Fairly, Mc-By Mr. Guyton: That the Committee on liquor license law approved February 12, 1875; referred.

By Mr. Guyton; That the Committee on Salarie, etc., be requested to prepare a bill regulating fees and salaries; adopted. Senate messages taken up and referred.

Saturday, Jan. 6, 1877. President Sims in the Chair; roll called.
Present-Messrs. Ailen Barry, Bills,
Callegtt Carter, Catchings, Chalmers, Curresolution providing for a joint committee to report a bill amending the aportionment law, and to table the motion to reconsider; ABSENT-Messrs. Albright, Everett, Few-

Foote, Gray, Griffin, Hooker, McNeil, Mendenhall, Metts, Morgan, Pratt, Thernton, White-13. Leave of absence was granted Mr. Hook-

of bills of last session. Mr. Thompson, Chairman, reported a number of bills of last sessiont do not pass. to its own proper plane, and would take tion, providing that the Educational Committe be instructed to inquire into the practicability of increasing the time for keeping open the public schools, etc.; adopt-

By Mr. Taylor: To repeal section 462, Code '71, and to provide a substitute therefor referred. By Mr. Furlong: To provide for the education of State cadets of the Mississippi In-By Mr. Furlong: To regulate the publication by sworn officials cation of legal adjectisements; Mr. Fewell is still chargeable to defects. This re-

By Mr. Fewell; To make it a misdemeanor for any member of the Legislature to has been said to make the inquiry, how speculate in State warrants; referred. By Mr. McCabe: To provide for a new A large number of House and Senate

1876. Several amendments were offered and the bill was re-committed. Adjourned.

HOUSE-FIFTTH DAY.

House met pursuant to adjournment; Speaker Street in the chair; roll call:

SATURDAY, Jan. 6th. 1877. PRESENT -Messrs, Aldrich Bailey, Baker, Bean, Bell. Blount, Boyd, Bridges, Brown, Byrd, of Frankin, Bird of Lawrence, Carter of Holmes, Causey, Crosland, Cessor, Chites, Cochran, Denson, Featherston, Floyd, Gayden, Gibson, Gillis, Gowan, Griffin, Guthrie, Guyton, Hull, Hurper, Hicks, Hogan, Horton, Huddeston, Jarnigan, Jayne, Johns, Johnson, of Itawamba, Johnston of Winston, Jones, of Hinds, Jones of Issaquena, Leigh, Lester, Marsingale, Miller, McNeir, McNeice, McLaurin, of Jasper Meraurin, of Smith, McWhorter, Nichols Overton, Parker, Pennington, Sanderlin, Schrock, Tison, Trice, Troup Tucker, Turley, Warren, Watkiss, Wilkinson, Vaughan, Yellowley, Mr. Speaker-73. ABSENT - Messrs, Amacker, Barksdale, Bassett, Campbell, Carter of Warren, Clay, Clifton, Cruti, Dabney, Drake, Dyer, Ervin, Fortune, Garrett, Hebron, Hudson, Hussey, Jacobs, Multory, Meade, McCurgo, Neilson, Parsons, Percy, Sanaders, Shattack Sheiby.

Southworth, Spight, Sykes, White, Young-S. B. for relief of S. D. Rhodes, Sheriff of act to authorize the sale of swamp lands H. B. (O.S.) to establish a rule for the collection! of sight drafts with Senate collection! of sight drafts with Senate

amendments; to special committe-Messrs. Jones, of Hinds, Leigh and Watkins. Noxubee county to compromise with W. M. Conner sheriff and his bondstaen were A number of Senate bills were referred.

By Mr. Pennington: To amend the law in relation to parental authority over minor children, approved March 29, 1876; referred. By Mr. Jarnigan: To amend the Chantween employer and employee; referred.

By Mr. Clay: To amend section two of the act amending the educational law, so far as code of 1871, in relation to notices for de-By Mr. Clay: To amend section two of the Coahoma, Washington, Bolivar, Issaquena and Sharkey; referred. By Mr. Crosland; To amend the charter The undersigned, members of the lower of Burnsville. Tishomiago county; passe1. By Mr. Edwards: To provide for the pay-

ment of costs in certain criminal prosecutions; referred. By Mr. Parker: To repeal the anti-liquor law of Chamberland, Sumner county; By Mr. Tucker: To amend the agriculon schools in this State, and to hold sa- 724. Code 1871, in relation to the qualifica-

> Denson moved to table; carried. LAWS BY LIMITATION. The Secretary of State informed the House that H. B. (O. S.) to authorize suits in certain cases has become a law by operation of

bins and were adopted; and the House ad-

far, all the legislative enactments govern- who know their duty and are capable of tinel, says he has just sold the Sentinel, and I. M. Reagan, that Harvey was a nuisance, and the keeper is subject to a ing the system, have been fanciful, ill- calculating consequences, whose con- and laid aside the editorial harness for- dangerous man, who would kill him. fine of \$200. considered extravagance. At any rate, sciences are not debauched, are rarely ever .- Vaiden Record-By Mr. Featherstona A concurrent resolution for a committee to report amend- wisdom and justice are not the marked the dupes of political tricksters.

wait upon the Governor and inform him county; to repeal section 3 and 4 of the referred.

that the Legislature was organized, etc.; charter of the Vicksburg & Ship Island By Mr. Bird, of Lawrence: To encoursely appreciately ap should be distinctly apprehended. In of the owner whose flock he devours. We absorbing question of the hour is defined if the question of his successor would not Clifton and Tison.

By Mr. Trice: H. B. To extend the time of paying taxes in Monroe and Noxubee of paying taxes in Monroe and Noxubee of Mr. Brown moved to add Tunica;

Mr. Miller to add Copiah; Mr. Harper to Mr. Smith from day to day Mr. Fince Mr. Smith from day to postpone action until Mr. Smith from day to postpone action of the hour is defined.

By Mr. Baker: To legalize the official action of the hour is defined.

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By Mr. Cary: To create an additional part in the words, the disposed of by the time of the exception of the devours. We assorbed to the floor of the state of the disposed of the government machinery of the State. judgement, persist in the wrong, does "The houses will be bound, under the power and authority vested in him would Mr. Brown moved to add Tunica; Mr. Brown moved to add Tunica; Mr. Brown moved to add Tunica; Mr. Smith from day to day. Mr. Foote moved to add Copiah; Mr. Harper to add Copiah; Mr. Harper to add Copiah; Mr. Harper to a special committee of five; Mr. Gutter to a special committee of five; Mr. Allen moved to postpose action until Mr. Smith from day to day. Mr. Foote moved to add Copiah; Mr. Harper to add Copiah; Mr. Smith from day to day. Mr. Foote moved to add Copiah; Mr. Smith from day to day. Mr. Foote moved to add Copiah; Mr. Harper to add Copiah; Mr. Harp axer, Shrock and Carir of Holmes.

By Mr. Tucker: For the relief of Chas

and pententiaries, and in case of prove that the greater quantity will not, and the failure of the less quantity to protein and ascertain the result of the election of President. Neither house counting. secure the great object of all government. duce results does not shake the planter's can refuse to perform these duties with-But that the educational system has an confidence in the gracious reproductive out abnegating its constitutional power ral vote of a State, the first instance of equal share with these punitive forces, and power of nature. We insist that in the and violating its constitutional duty. In which occurred in 1817, in the case of it is a far more noble and effective force absence of the sun, the cattle would soon this august assemblage it is the minimum Indiana, which it was declared was not than these, is not so apparent—that the present a reene of desolation, but this condition of our national life that the legally admitted to the Union. The forming of character is a far more effective does not imply that with the sun duties imposed shall be discharged in the vote, however, was counted. instrument in the maintenance of the see every part of the earth will present a spirit of truth and patriotism regardless. In that case, as has been the uniform curity of our person and property than scene of beauty; yet without it, by no of consequences to party but profoundly practice since the two Houses separated louely cells and penal colonies. It is a possibility can the earth escape destruction anxious for those that concern the whole and took action in their independent case wise maxim that it is better to remove tion. The same thing, we aver of country. If, however, as the constitute pacity, it appeared to him as if one or the temptation than to expose persons to knowledge, imparted to the masses tion contemplates in this, as well as in other of the two flatters in joint Conventheir influence, and then punish the culprit for yielding. In its bearings upon tion.

cheaper; this, however, is not so clear to to wrong and crime, and vice and intel-Senate met pursuant to adjournment; the many. What is visible, impresses lectual death? Penitentiaries, jails, whipping posts, dark dungeons, soldiers, record that any one has received a many where it would end. He very much fearabstract, or which, from its very nature, can only be conceived by the mind. bayonets, arsenals and all the powers that brute force can use to coerce, to effect a failure to elect. In such a case weeks intervening between the counting rie, Fitz Gerald, Furlong, Johnston, Me- can only be conceived by the inflation of the Caskill, Oldham, Reynolds, Shir- Sheriffs and jails figure much more restrain and to compel temporary obediley, Smith, Siewart, Taylor, Terry. Thomp- largely among our ideas of what is need. ence to laws. You may butcher men, upon each. The houses immediately present executive term would be reached, ful to government, than common schools, saber them, hang them, imprison, tax proceed in their respective duties—one in which case, in his opinion, under the since they, like nature in her grand and them heavily to supply the punitive to sleet the President and the other the Constitution and the set of 1792, the cesseless operations, works silently, yet forces of government, anything may be Vice-President. Let the constitution be President of the Senate would become like nature, mightily. Were this clearly done to them in the langage of soft perunderstood, our whole duty to the State suasion according to some, except to Mr. Allen, Chairman, reported a number | would be known as to all the methods by educate them. which our person and property may be Mr. Chalmers, Chairman, reported one best secured and defended, and the publie school system would at once be lifted By Mr Furlong; A concurrent resolu- position as the most effective agency in the maintenance of order. The protection of our PERSON, PROP-

ERTY and RIGHTS is the grand END to be achieved by every enlightened government. Failure to do this for which the people are so heavily taxed, is generally the result of defective laws. negligence in their perversion, or winkto indefinitely postpone; Mr. Reynolds, to mark is not to be construed as an enduty of the State at all times and under the size of the suburbs. "What are you doing with Major security of the persons and rights of the members of the community. There is an emphatic opinion upon this subject,

taxation for this purpose. Two methods are apparent to all thinking men to secure this end. Both have animal. recived the seal of universal endorsement in the progress of civilization.

1. The Panitive Force of Government .-This consists mainly of three great aims " How so?" we inquired. of government. To this must be added of our town, the whole constabulary force of the State. As a part of this convincing sermons on crime and guilt, This is not the end of the regulating apcourt houses for sixty-nine countiesthe right and truth and morality find embodiment in wise and salutary statutes, whose violations are emphasized by sixty-nine gloomy jails, impressive commentators on misdemeanors of every description and consequent taxation. This then is the great regulating force of the State, by which one person's property hibits either his profound ignorance or and rights may be secured. How im- intense bigotry. The ex-governor of Memphis Appeal. partially and justly this was done, every Mississippi was worried to vacate the This case, which has created so much during the Centonnial Exhibition, and citizen can determine for himself. A office" by an impending impeachment excitement in Austin, Mississippi, was therefore the statement that he met Mrs storm of indignation might be raised for high crimes and misdemeanors. He determined on the 28th ultimo by the Manning there is incorrent. against many au official for deep wrongs compromised with the people whom he admission to bail of Captain M. J. best information, it is believed that as and many an act of damning perfidy, had abused and robbed, and thus became that would curdle the life-blood of the a "fugitive from the State." He might of the murder of James B. Harvey. The was the paramour of Mrs. Manning and Senate amendments to H. B, to authorize infant in the cradle-men who treat have been a permanent resident-under whole case was thoroughly investigated that he is the father of her chile oaths and solemn trusts as boys treat some restrictions of personal liberty—had before J. G. Gallagher, Esq., on the Manning married had, foot-balls. This part of the machinery of government is the immediate—the properly considered "discretion the betdirect cause of heavy taxation. The ter part of valor," and was permitted to old lover of Mrs. Manning's; that they clapsed, she confessed that Harvy was great burden of our taxes goes to regu- take his carpet-bag and depart. Since weree ngaged before her first marriae, and the father of the child. Harvy's friends late society in the form of punishment or in the adjustment of litigations. For on a new career of peace and prosperity. all this, we pay our taxes willingly. To -St. Louis Republican. punish crime and adjust civil suits at

of the courts cost the people as much, in all probability as the tuition of 120,000 children. kins, (col.) late member from Madison county, which were seconded by Mr. Stebbins and were adopted; and the House adthe State; for the reason that such discrimination will have a diby a State tax. The statesman knows cury. Is this system, as a State measure, that upon the character of the population wise or unwise? Is it the duty of the State to take charge of the educational interests of its children? The latter is interests of its children? The latter is no doubt the most direct and important schools? If this be denied, we simply in the morning and kicks the cat over soon as he was pointed out to him. It could they expect !—Philadelphia Times question to be considered in bringing the state that it is an historic fact that in table, cuffs two of the children, and re- also appeared in the evidence that Man- (Ind.) subject to the attention of the reading proportion as common schools increase marks that he should think from the appropriate to the attention of the reading proportion as common schools increase marks that he should think from the appropriate to the attention of the reading proportion as common schools increase marks that he should think from the appropriate to the attention of the reading proportion as common schools increase marks that he should think from the appropriate to the attention of the reading proportion as common schools increase marks that he should think from the appropriate to the attention of the reading proportion as common schools increase marks that he should think from the appropriate to the attention of the reading proportion as common schools increase marks that he should think from the appropriate to the attention of the attention public. If it is a duty, it should have public to the attention of the reading public. If it is a duty, it should have prevented from doing so by Dr. Chap- was drunk, do not think harshly of him. the generous support which its impor-tance merits, and such legislation by the person who sings and such legislation by the person who sings the niece of Mrs. State, for presentation to Governor Tilwhich this noble object which it proposes to accomplish, may be attained. Thus to surrender this right arm of their strength. No less true is it that men to accomplish, may be attained. Thus

cents tax hereafter) with all the expenses

Senate met pursuant to adjournment;
President Sims in the Chair; roll called.
By Mr. Bleks: To repeal an act amend by Mr. Allen, Barry. Bills, the Southern people will prefer the different of the original thirteen or the original thirteen of the original thirteen of the original

the ends to be secured by every wise government, it is not only better, but

What remains if you do away, Mr. Editor, with the great preventive agency candidate has been elected, it must folsome States, which would lead to a sep-

CHAS. H. OTKEN. Summit, Miss.

Why His Dog Bit Him. About a week ago we heard one of our leading citizens bragging about his watchdog. He went on to say that Nero was of Gov. Vance passed off quietly. A a splendid watchdog; that he would large crowd was in attendance. never growl at a child, and at night he address was applauded to the echo.

about the premises. will bite you some night when you come upon the moderation and patriotism of promptly convene the Forty-lifth Conhome late?"

and shoot him ?"

Jones' dog?" we wanted to know.

fix it; that he wouldn't take \$500 for the the propriety and the duty of taking the It is also stated that the other letters in

"Well," responded the policeman, and cuss and fall down in the cellar as be and the soul of the American Union. always does when he comes home, so Nero kept on biting the major in fresh MORE ABOUT THE AUSTEN

places until the family interfered.

"Come on Nero!" and the sad funeral cortege resumed the line of march for the brush. The President's allusion to Ames ex-

law costs the State per annum, directly A STORY OF WADE HAMPTON .- A Memphis, They went together from or indirectly, at least \$2,000,000. tale is told of Wade Hampton-is it Memphis to Austin on the steamer White, From this we see how expensive true? His father, a millionaire, left to where unmistakable evidence of intimacy our persons, rights and property are. The each of his two daughters, by will, was established. They arranged that he School system will cost this year about \$100,000; the rest of his property he should write her a letter, claiming to be the election. \$600,000 or \$700,000, and that not by bequeathed to his only son. After the her step brother, addressed to her by her direct taxation. Five thousand criminals funeral the will was shown to young first husband's name, and inquiring after themdistributed in the different counties of the Wade. He read it through very care her as if they had met since the war. And I'll bet Tilden is State, and each confined in jail on an fully, and then threw it into the fire, say- This letter was sent under cover to the er lady promptly. average of four months in the year, al- ing: "I'll never consent to take a larger postmaster at Austin, with the request lowing the jailor forty cents per capita share of the estate than the others. Let that it be delivered to Mrs. Dunaway it marked a third young lady standing near. of his prisoners for food (eight or seven the property be divided equally among living there still. It was delivered by

the State to prevent the burden of forty done. Died at the Age of 132 Years.

2d. The preventive force. This is the but known by the name of John Von, and deliver it to her in his presence. for a hat, and \$25 for a new kind of bus system of public instruction. It is addied in Kemper county, in this State, on This was done, and the Captain thus bedied and other things. mitted by all thoughtful men, that the 18th day of July, 1876. Having guiled into permitting Harvey to be in- And now she is very virtue and intelligence are necessary to been born in 1744, he was, at the time vited to his house. The declaration of returns, when she will decide that both the christian religion are entitled to a paigns against the Indians. This is per- body, and declarations going to show as a recompense for her trouble. full share among the forces that prevent haps the most remarkable case of long- that there was a preconcerted plot to kill

Sorry to hear it,

Senator Lamar's Opinion

Two Dollars a Year.

action of the two houses, they are unable on the 4th of February, would early fall to agree upon a decision whether either into an objection to the count of votes of no disorganizing collisions and no neces- sworn in as such. So far us he, " the sity of resorting to force. ****

NORTH CAROLINA SPEAKS! Gov. Vance Strikes the Lacy Note.

RALEIGH, N. C .- The inauguration

would tear anybody to pieces he found | Aliuding to national affairs he said I conceive our situation to be critical in ion with reference to present persons "Ain't you afraid," we asked, "that he the extreme. Our only reliance now is voted for, the Action President could Congress. If the representatives of the gress for such business as he might see is still chargeable to defects, This remark is not to be construed as an endorsement of Draeonian laws. Enough has been said to make the inquiry, how the State seeks to accomplish its object. Whatever difference of opinion there may be in regard to the functions of government, all the disputants agree upon one point: that it is the duty the solemn late of the State set all lines and late of the State set all lines and late of the State set all lines and late of the State seeks to accomplish its object. Whatever difference of opinion there may be in regard to the functions of government, all the disputants agree upon one point: that it is the duty the solemn late of the State set all lines and the solemn late of the State set all lines and the solemn late of the State set all lines are lated to make a penceable and constitutional solution of the difficulty in which the country now finds itself and there should be attempts, as threatened, to prevent the inauguration of the caudity dates fairly elected, one of two things will happen. Either the majority of the November, Congress be thought might American people will quietly submit to November. Congress he thought might of the constitution, or there will be a "He gave him to me to take him out resort to violence. Let us look things hold the imanguration on the Fourth of "What for ?" we asked in amaze- Carolina as well as the Southern States pass of the exceptional state of affairs generally imperatively demand that she incident to a quasi interregnum. "Because he tackled the major last should not be forward in this matter, night on his coming home, and bit him More than all things else, except good Theories. in thirteen places; he will not be down government, we need peace. In common with the constitutional party in the Memphis Ledger. "But I heard the major say that dog North, we think we have fairly elected A letter was found on Harvey's per was intelligent; that he knew his step, our candidate for president. Upon that son from Mrs. Manning. Rumor has it and wouldn't bite him, no way he could party and not upon ourselves devolves that it was an invitation to visit Austin. needed steps towards securing the rights his pocket were perforated by bullets, "The dog ain't to blame for it," said of the majority, but let it not be supposed and this was not, which mised

Blasted as we have been by the deso- and engaged before the war; all county officers, the municipal officers slowly, "the dog did know his step and lation of war, purged of rashness by the rated by some chance, and never growled at him before, but last fires of revolution, and sobcred both by first time in many years this night, for the first time since he has had public calamity and private sorrow as we the Centennial, when her has machinery, add all the buildings the dog, the major came home three hours have been, we yet cherish the love of lib- not with her. Meantime she had mar at the Capital of the State, prominent among which is that frowning building called the penitentiary preaching to the called the penitentiary preaching to the called the dog was used to; he didn't tangle up his legs as much as common, and North Carolina may confidently be relied the dog was fooled by it, took him for a upon to systain that portion of the people heard nows from Philadelphia. perfect stranger and bounced him. The of the United States which shall convince us caused him to plan and execute Hardog ain't to blame; he missed the smell that it is struggling for the constitution, the of whisky, he didn't hear the major whoop laws and public justice, which are the life

BY BURE BY BE BORD BY A BRIDGE BURE A BOOK.

The Accused Admitted to Bail in the Sum of \$10,000.

tennial, and while on her trip sought out murdered. By Mr. Yellowley: Resolved. That it is and a half cents is allowed for tuition by the three." This, it is said, was actually the postmaster to an old negro, Wash hands went the stakes. An Indian by the name of Istamola, it to heragain when the Captain returned money for gloves, \$50 for a closk, \$15 gan, the niece of Mrs. Manning, who ested way, thinks the Democrata ought had accompanied her on the Centennial to be satis-

The justice granted bail to Captain

Manning in the sum of ten thousand

The President's Lutest Belivers unce on the Presidential Ques-

Washington, Spread of an 2nd ! The President, in referring to the Presidential question in Congress and the existing of florences between the two Houses as to the mode of counting the Electoral vote, and as to their respective powers and prerogatives, said he had no disposition to judge the case, but as a The views of our Senator elect on the matter of opinion it appeared to him an

President," was comperned, his power would cense, but in other respects the other branches of the Executive Government, referring to the Cabinet officers, would continue uninterrupted ; that a full investigation of this subject by his judicial advisers, as well as by himself, made were appointed till a successor was appointed, execut Postmacter General. He thought if there should be no decis-

the policeman, gazing sadly at poor Nero, that we are indifferent to their action, or decline to come to the front because less et after he fell. The rumor has it that ooking lady, not old nor yet very young

> She has fine sense, and is very attractive Commenting on the above the Louis

A Pair Stakeholder

Two Chicago ladies became greatly egitated over the prospective results of

The first Tilden and Hendricks flag State, for presentation to Governor Til-

The Milwaukee Sentinel has no doubt